

NINTH MISSISSIPPI REG'T.

REGIMENTAL FIELD AND STAFF OFFICERS.

JAMES R. CHALMERS, Hernando.....Colonel.
 JAMES L. AUTRY, Holly Springs.....Lieut-Colonel.
 A. R. BOWDRIE, DeSoto county.....Major.
 EUGENE WHITFIELD, Corinth.....Adjutant.

COMPANIES.

Co. A.—Irrepressibles Hernando, DeSoto county, Miss. Capt. Chalmers; Thos. W. White, 1st Lieut; S. S. Minneice; 2d Lieut. George T. Banks, 3d Lieut. Ordered to Pensacola, 62 men.

Co. B.—Home Guards, Holly Springs, Marshall county, Miss. Capt. Thomas W. Harris; 1st Lieut Wiley P. Jones; 2d Lieut J. B. Mattison; 3d Lieut J. L. Autry. Ordered to Pensacola, 55 men.

Co. C.—Corinth Rifles, Corinth, Tishomingo county; Captain W. H. Kirkpatrick; James Vaughn, 1st Lieut; F. E. Whitfield, 2d Lieut; J. H. Dobyns, 3d Lieut. Ordered to Pensacola, 52 men.

Co. D.—Jefferson Davis Rifles, Holly Springs, Marshall co. Capt. Samuel Benton; Harvey W. Walter, 2d Lieut; Richard L. Watson, 3d Lieut, B. Mickell, 3d Lieut. Ordered to Pensacola, 56 men.

Co. E.—Horn Lake Volunteers, Hernando, DeSoto county, Capt. John W. Foster; Eben Nelms, 1st Lieut; James M. Walker, 2d Lieut; A. W. Fleming 3d Lieut. Ordered to Pensacola 48 men.

Co. F.—Quitman Rifle Guard, Waterford, Marshall county, Capt. Robert McGowan, Andrew J. Wooten, 1st Lieut; A. Balfour, 2d Lieut; J. McGowan, 3d Lieut. Ordered to Pensacola, 51 men.

Co. G.—DeSoto Guards, DeSoto county, Capt. Sam O. B. Crckett; J. V. Walker, 1st Lieut; W. A. Rankin, 2d Lieut, Richard Baker 3d Lieut. Ordered to Pensacola, 50 men.

Co. H.—Lafayette Guards, Oxford, Lafayette county, Captain William Delay; John P. Grace 1st Lieut; Thomas H. Bynum, Lieut; John H. Henry, 3d Lieut. Ordered to Pensacola, 60 men.

Co. I. Senatobia Invincibles, Senatobia, Panola county, Capt. Robert R. Bowdrie; Granville O. Hayne, 1st Lieut; Osborne F. West, 2d Lieut; Wm. A. Feeney, 3d Lieut. Ordered to Pensacola, 80 men.

Co. K.—Panola Guards, Panola county, Captain B. Moore. Ordered to Pensacola, 50 men.

933 men rank and file.

THE SENATOBIA INVINCIBLES.

The Senatobia Invincibles, an infantry company, was organized at Senatobia in 1859; A. R. Bowdrie being elected Captain. The company was well-drilled in company drill before entering the Confederate States Service, and had also engaged frequently in target practice, contesting for prizes offered by its captain, L. W. Pierce being the champion shot. The company was armed with the celebrated Mississippi Rifles and Sabre bayonets used in the war with Mexico, and uniformed according to U. S. A. regulations. Of the ninety-five men rank and file. W. J. Weazey Jr., being the youngest, at the tender age of 15 years. The Invincibles were the pride of Senatobia being the first company to enter the service of the Confederacy from that place and vicinity, and was known as Company I., 9th Mississippi Regiment at the organization of which Capt. Bowdrie was elected major, who was succeeded in command by Capt. O. F. West, a veteran of the Mexican war time. From Deer Point near Pensacola, Feb. 14, 1862 the original Ninth was sent to Cumberland Gap, Ky., there on March 27th the term for which they enlisted expired, returning to their homes were discharged. Twenty-three of them formed the basis of a new company which was recruited to 100 in number by W. G. Woollard and Robert F. Ward and tendered to W. A. Feeney who was elected captain by acclamation. The commissioned and non-commissioned officers of the Invincibles No. 2 were all chosen from the 23 members of the original company except J. C. McNeely, he too had seen a years service in the 9th Mississippi Regiment. The beautiful silk flag which was presented by the ladies of Senatobia was returned at close of the years service, and borne to Virginia by the new company, Invincibles No. 2, which was known in the organization of the 42d Miss. Regiment Infantry at Oxford, in May, 1862, as Co. B. Scarcely a corporal's guard of this fine company were present for duty at Appomattox, but the colors of the Invincibles were never surrendered to the enemy, and are now in Senatobia.

ROBERT F. WARD,

2d Lieutenant Co. B., 42d Mississippi Regiment.

PROMOTIONS—Capt. J. R. Chalmer's elected Colonel Ninth Mississippi Regiment at Pensacola, Fla. Appointed Brigadier-General by Gen. Bragg, Commanding Pensacola Forces; Capt. Thomas W. White, Colonel; F. E. Whitfield, Lieutenant-Colonel, T. H. Bynum, Major.

Organized at Pensacola, Florida, April 1861. Attached to the Army of Pensacola, Gen. Braxton Bragg, Commanding.